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OFFICE OF THE
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Julie Woodruff
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243-0505

Re: *Generic Docket to Consider Geographic Deaveraging*
Docket No. 01-00339

Dear Ms. Woodruff:

The purpose of this letter is to announce that BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and MCI Metro Access Transmission Services, LLC ("MCI Metro") and Brooks Fiber Communications of Tennessee, Inc. ("Brooks Fiber"), collectively MCI WorldCom ("WorldCom"), have reached an agreement on all issues in this case. At this time, Sprint Communications Company L.P and Sprint United Telephone-Southeast, Inc. concur in principle but are still reviewing the settlement document which is similar to agreements reached in other BellSouth states.

For this reason, the parties do not anticipate making any other filings in this docket other than a copy of the finalized, settlement agreement.

Very truly yours,

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